



The Florida Senate

Local Funding Initiative Request

Fiscal Year 2021-2022

LFIR # 1948

1. Project Title
2. Senate Sponsor
3. Date of Request

4. Project/Program Description

The City of Freeport's sanitary sewer system experienced significant rainfall infiltration during Hurricane Sally. Four of the City's wastewater lift stations in low lying areas were underwater and flooded during the storm. The City has identified improvements for the lift stations as part of an ongoing disaster/hurricane preparedness plan.

5. State Agency to receive requested funds
- State Agency contacted?

6. Amount of the Nonrecurring Request for Fiscal Year 2021-2022

Type of Funding	Amount
Operations	0
Fixed Capital Outlay	269,000
Total State Funds Requested	269,000

7. Total Project Cost for Fiscal Year 2021-2022 (including matching funds available for this project)

Type of Funding	Amount	Percentage
Total State Funds Requested (from question #6)	269,000	100%
Matching Funds		
Federal	0	0%
State (excluding the amount of this request)	0	0%
Local	0	0%
Other	0	0%
Total Project Costs for Fiscal Year 2021-2022	269,000	100%

8. Has this project previously received state funding?

Fiscal Year (yyyy-yy)	Amount		Specific Appropriation #	Vetoed
	Recurring	Nonrecurring		

9. Is future funding likely to be requested?
- a. If yes, indicate nonrecurring amount per year.
- b. Describe the source of funding that can be used in lieu of state funding.

10. Has the entity requesting this project received any federal assistance related to the COVID-19 pandemic?

If yes, indicate the amount of funds received and what the funds were used for.



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11. Details on how the requested state funds will be expended

Spending Category	Description	Amount
Administrative Costs:		
Executive Director/Project Head Salary and Benefits		0
Other Salary and Benefits		0
Expense/Equipment/Travel/Supplies/Other		0
Consultants/Contracted Services/Study		0
Operational Costs: Other		
Salary and Benefits		0
Expense/Equipment/Travel/Supplies/Other		0
Consultants/Contracted Services/Study		0
Fixed Capital Construction/Major Renovation:		
Construction/Renovation/Land/Planning Engineering	Construction includes raising the lift station wet well vaults and/or installation of new watertight access hatches. As well as installation of permanently mounted diesel bypass pumping systems/generators for backup operation during a power outage.	269,000
Total State Funds Requested (must equal total from question #6)		269,000

12. Program Performance

a. What specific purpose or goal will be achieved by the funds requested?

The City of Freeport's sanitary sewer system has experienced significant storm events and the wastewater lift stations located in low lying areas have been underwater. The improvements will allow the City to continue providing these services during a storm event.

b. What activities and services will be provided to meet the intended purpose of these funds?

Improvements include raising the lift station wet well vaults and/or installation of new watertight access hatches. As well as installation of permanently mounted diesel bypass pumping systems/generators for backup operation during a power outage.

c. What direct services will be provided to citizens by the appropriation project?

The project will allow the City to be able to provide critical services during a storm or emergency event.

d. Who is the target population served by this project? How many individuals are expected to be served?

All of the citizens receiving these services will benefit by having them available when needed.

e. What is the expected benefit or outcome of this project? What is the methodology by which this outcome will be measured?

Monitor if services are available during a time of emergency.

f. What are the suggested penalties that the contracting agency may consider in addition to its standard penalties for failing to meet deliverables or performance measures provided for the contract?



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The funding agency can elect to not fund future phases of the City's plan. The City will award the contract through a bid process. The bid documents will spell out liquidated damage costs for project overruns. The bid documents will also require the selected contractor to provide performance and payment bonds to the City and a 10% retainer bill be withheld until all issues are corrected.

- 13. The owners of the facility to receive, directly or indirectly, any fixed capital outlay funding. Include the relationship between the owners of the facility and the entity.**

The City of Freeport; the owner and entity.



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14. Requestor Contact Information

a. First Name Last Name
b. Organization
c. E-mail Address
d. Phone Number Ext.

15. Recipient Contact Information

a. Organization
b. Municipality and County

c. Organization Type

- ☐ For Profit Entity
☐ Non Profit 501(c)(3)
☐ Non Profit 501(c)(4)
☒ Local Entity
☐ University or College
☐ Other (please specify)

d. First Name Last Name
e. E-mail Address
f. Phone Number

16. Lobbyist Contact Information

a. Name
b. Firm Name
c. E-mail Address
d. Phone Number



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Please complete the questions below for Water Projects only.

17. Have you applied for alternative state funding?

- ☐ Waste Water Revolving Loan
- ☐ Drinking Water Revolving Loan
- ☐ Small Community Wastewater Treatment Grant
- ☐ Other (please specify)
- ☒ N/A

18. What is the population economic status?

- ☐ Financially Disadvantaged Community (ch. 62-552, F.A.C)
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- ☒ Rural Area of Economic Concern
- ☒ Rural Area of Opportunity (s. 288.0656, Florida Statutes)
- ☐ N/A

19. What is the status of construction?

Ready

20. What percentage of the construction has been completed?

0%

21. What is the estimated completion date of construction?

12/31/2021